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DEVELOPMENT OF NANDAN KANAN IN ORISSA
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Will the Minister of TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has drawn up any master plan for the development of Nandan Kanan in Bhubaneshwar;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount earmarked under the plan?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM (SMT. RENUKA CHOWDHURY)

(a), (b) and (c): Development of places of tourist interest in the States is primarily the responsibility of State Governments. However, for development of infrastructure, Ministry of Tourism provides Central Financial Assistance for tourism related projects on the basis of projects identified every year in consultation with the State Governments.

Orissa Tourism has engaged ITDC to prepare a Master Plan for development of the Golden Triangle of Orissa comprising Bhubaneshwar-Puri-Konark. The Master Plan will also cover Nandan Kanan, which is in close proximity to the city.